AUG 2.3 2004

"Express Mail" mailing number: ER 987151805 US

Date of Deposit August 23, 2004

† hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to Mailstop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Cathi H. Turner

2011 AUG 26 PN 2: 36

**PATENT** 

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Günzburg et al.

Group Art Unit: 1632

Serial No.: 08/999,690

Examiner: Li, Qian Janice

Filed: September 8, 1997

Docket No.: 1406/205

Confirmation No.: 4218

For: VECTORS CARRYING THERAPEUTIC GENES ENCODING ANTIMICROBIAL

PEPTIDES FOR GENE THERAPY

## REQUEST FOR CHANGE FROM LARGE ENTITY STATUS TO SMALL ENTITY STATUS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The above-noted U.S. patent application was initially filed as a "large entity". However, since the filing of the application, all rights in the application have been assigned to GSF-Forschungszentrum fuer Umwelt und Gesundheit GmbH, a nonprofit scientific organization having its place of business at Ingolstadter Landstrasse 1, D-85764 Neuherberg, Germany. This assignment was sent by facsimile to the Assignment Division on February 13, 2004. A true and accurate copy of the Assignment and postcard showing proof of filing are attached herewith as **Exhibit A**. Accordingly, please change the status of the current pending application to "small entity".

Application Serial No.: 08/808,827

MATERITISANS LEGALL L DIVISION

Please contact the undersigned attorney should there be any questions.

2011 AUG 26 PM 2: 36

Respectfully submitted,

JENKINS, WILSON & TAYLOR, P.A.

Date: 08/23/2004

Bv:

Arles A. Taylor, Jr.

Registration No. 39,395

1406/205

AAT/JD/cht

Customer No: 25297